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National Association of Regulatory Utility Commissioners

January 12, 2005

Chairman Michael K. Powell
Office of the Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
445 – 12th Street, S.W., Room TW-A325
Washington, D.C. 20554.

RE: *NARUC's Staff Selections to Support the Joint Board.*

In the Matter of the Federal-State Joint Board on Separations. CC Docket No. 80-286

Dear Chairman Powell,

A vacancy on the staff of the Federal-State Joint Board on Separations is open. As you know, NARUC has a total of 11 funded staff positions on the board. Staff to the board terms are limited by NARUC's procedures. I recently made one new appointment to the board staff. Typically, NARUC notifies the FCC of these volunteers so that they can be included on the service list for board activities.

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If you have any questions about this nomination, please do not hesitate to call me at 360.664.1173 or mshowalter@wutc.wa.gov, or please feel free to contact Brad Ramsay at 202.898.2207 or jramsay@naruc.org.

Sincerely,

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